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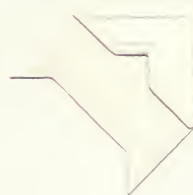


















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# THE SENIOR CLASS

OF

# Armstrong High

# School

# Armstrong, Illinois









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The SENIOR CLASS  
Wish to present a  
RECORD OF OUR  
Activities OF the  
YEAR, 1944—





# THE CAPTAIN

## AND

## HIS

## MATES







## SOCIAL EVENTS OF 1944

September-----Freshman Party  
October-----School Carnival  
November-----Thanksgiving  
December-----Christmas Party  
January-----  
February-----Visitors Night  
March-----Girls' P.E. Party  
                    Sophomore Skating Party  
                    V-Roy, Magician  
                    Speech Contest  
April-----Junior-Senior Banquet  
                    Freshman Skating Party  
                    F.F.A. and Home Ec. Club Skating Party  
                    Mothers' Tea  
May-----Baccalaureate  
                    School Picnic  
                    Commencement



## FACULTY

### Top Row--(left to right)

Glen S. Garvin--Agriculture and General Science--  
B. S. University of Illinois and Northwestern  
University

A. F. Laurence--Sociology, Biology, and Ec.  
Geography--B.S. & M. S. University of Illinois  
and Augustana College

Ora Searles--Geometry, Algebra, Physics and Gen-  
eral Science--DePauw University, Greencastle,  
Indiana; University of Chicago

### Second Row--(left to right)

Inez Gouty--Bookkeeping, Typing, and Ec. Geog-  
raphy--DePauw University, Central Normal Col-  
lege, Danville, Indiana, A.B.

Mildred Hemp--Home Economics  
University of Illinois, B.S.

Margaret Boyle, Office Secretary

### Third Row--

Margaret Watkins--English, Latin, and Spanish  
James Millikin University, A.B.; University of  
Michigan; University of Illinois

Evelyn Lindgren--Music and Physical Education  
Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; State Normal;  
University of Illinois; Indiana State Teachers  
College

Louise Ann Parker--English and History  
A.B., James Millikin University; M.A., Univer-  
sity of Illinois

## BOARD

### Standing--(left to right)

A. Gustafson, E. Bass, P. Selsor, H. Ludwig

### Seated--

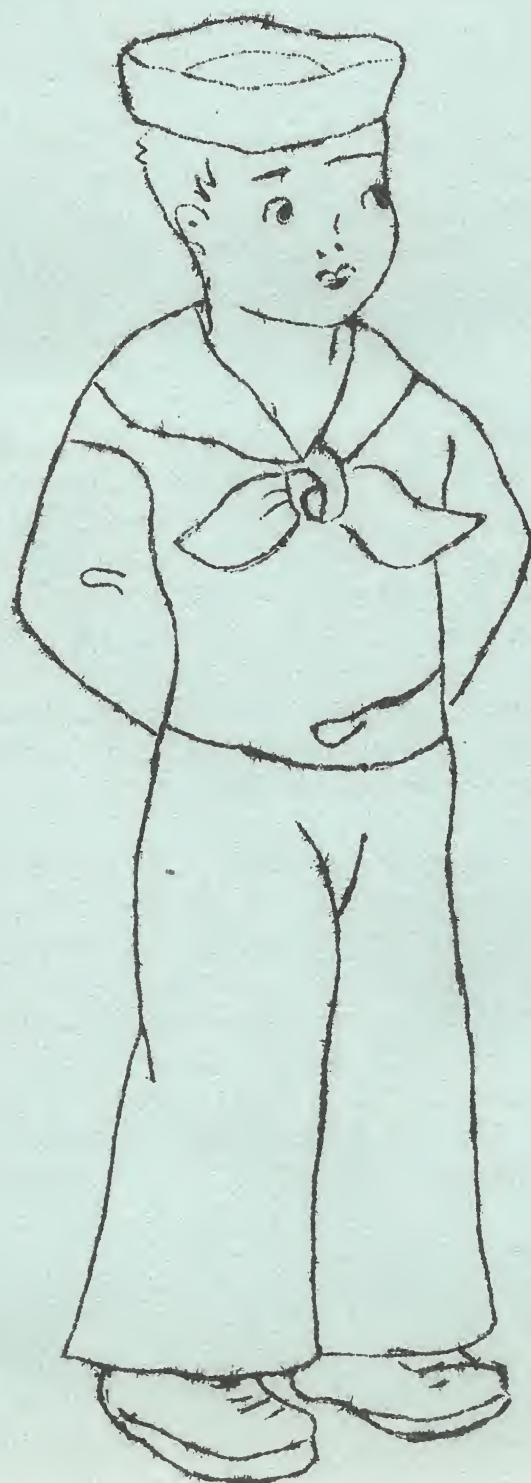
L. Burd, C. Gilbert, R. Donaldson







# CHIEF PETTY OFFICERS







## SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

In the fall of 1940, forty-five Freshmen entered AHS with a doubtful look on their faces, but with an air of confidence. The class officers elected were: President, Sally Welles; Vice President, Leonard Collins; Secretary and Treasurer, Everett Heckerson; Student Council Member, James Duncan. Part of the dues paid were used in giving the Christmas Party, in cooperation with the Sophomores. The remainder was used for the trip to Brookfield Zoo at Chicago.

As Sophomores, the class of thirty-nine members came back attempting to accomplish more than as Freshmen. The class elected the following officers: President, Ruth Dukes; Vice President, Oka Morris; Secretary-Treasurer, Margie Olson; and Student Council Members, Sally Welles, and Elden Reynolds.

In 1942, the Junior class returned increased to forty-two and also greatly increased in confidence. The officers elected were: President, Oka Morris; Vice President, Bob Owens; Secretary, Sally Welles; Treasurer, Gerald Alexander; Student Council Members, Ruth Dukes, Leonard Collins, and Hollis Abbott. During the year money was earned by a Junior Play, Candy Sales, and Magazine Sales for the Junior-Senior Banquet, which was given in April. Class rings were ordered and received.

Thirty-five Seniors returned for their fourth and final year. Class officers were: President, Everett Heckerson; Vice President, Margie Olson; Secretary, Oka Morris; Treasurer, Allan Criblez; Student Council Members, Bob Owens, Lorene Watson, Leola Donaldson, and Ruth Dukes. The Senior year proved to be a busy one. Activities consisted of a carnival stunt, production of a Senior Annual, Senior Pictures, and finally Commencement.

--Margie Olson  
--Oka Morris



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Row 1--Everett Heckerson, Margie Olson, Oka Morris, Allan Cribblez.  
Row 2--Gene Ludwig, Ellen Ackerman, Ruth Dukes.  
Row 3--Ruth Parsons, Marie Bruns, Elden Reynolds.  
Row 4--Maurice Rubin, Sally Welles, Leola Donaldson.  
Row 5--Charles Lynn, Lorene Watson, Avis Mabry, Leonard Collins.

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Row 1--Kenneth Corbly, Berneice Frerichs, Montez Nelson, Donald Burnison.  
Row 2--Gene Brown, Glenadine Corbly, Pauline Parrish.  
Row 3--Lillian Holt, Anna Ackerman, Donald Roisland.  
Row 4--Bob Owens, Collette Early, Lois Knoll.  
Row 5--Bob Keal, Betty McGuire, Dorothy Stacey, Rudy Stites.













## SHIP LOG

We, the not so intellectual but very vivacious class of 1944, being of sound mind and body and feeling that our property and liabilities may be of use to future classes, do hereby bequeath the following:

### ARTICLE I

To the Junior class we give the legal rights of occupying the senior row of assembly seats. We hope that some of them may "see the light" better there.

To the other classes we will our knowledge of English, History, Physics, and all other subjects which the class of '44 has not completely mastered.

### ARTICLE II

To the faculty we give our ability to bluff our way through and hope that they can use it to advantage in bluffing the forthcoming Armstrong students.

### ARTICLE III

#### Personal Bequests

I, Lois Knoll, leave my speech making ability to Ruby Booher.

I, Glenadine Corbly, will my Paxton dates to Alice Buck.

I, Dorothy Staley, will my curly eye lashes and black hair to Carolyn Frerichs.

I, Don Roisland, will my interest in Spain to Lewis Morris for as long as they both are in high school.

I, Everett Heckerson, will to Gene Howell the front seat in assembly and hope he finds it as strategic a spot as I have.

I, Gerald Alexander, will my snappy Ford and the title of Romeo to James Gridler.



I, Leonard Collins, will to Dale Meitzler my interest in Blanche Britton.

I, Charles Lynn, will my likeness of airplanes to Hardin James--maybe that will help him get Helen off his mind.

I, Elden Reynolds, think Quentin Rigglesman ought to have something, so I will him my curly locks.

I, Don Burnison, will Imogene Owens to Johnny Bickers.

I, Allan Cribblez, will my 100's in American History to any Junior who will have a hard time of it next year. Don't rush so, Juniors!

I, Kenneth Corbly, will Joyce Greene to Chuck Goff.

I, Bob Keal, will that lovely Jackie French to Edward Davis.

I, Maurice Rubin, leave to Frank Lipowsky my excellent technique in love-making.

I, Marie Bruns, will my ranch to Milly Collins for future use; and my height to Sarah Cundiff.

I, Ruth Dukes, wish to anchor my high soprano to Gordon Millis.

I, Pauline Parrish, will my slenderness to Willa Knight in the hopes that it will aid her in her career.

I, Oka Morris, will my interest in blonde basketball players to Rosalind Moffett.

I, Lillian Holt, will my ability to play the accordion to Florence Shaffer.

I, Anna Ackerman, will my success in love to Pauline Watson.

I, Margie Olson, will my shyness and intelligence to Dale Meitzler.

I, Berneice Frerichs, will my Bookkeeping-book and ability to make figures come out right to Walter Parrish.

I, Leola Donaldson, will my ability to sing songs on the bells to all future bell-players.

I, Collette Early, will my quietness to Dick Wright.

I, Sarah Welles, will my ability to go steady to Walter Hess.

I, Avis Mabry, will my red hair to Betty Calvert.

I, Lorene Watson, will my drum muscle to John Pierce.

I, Bob Owens, will my ability to play consistently good basketball to Jack Morris.

I, Montez Nelson, will my skating dates to anyone who can skate and to anyone who likes Rantoul.

I, Eugene Brown, will my charming smile to Louise Bunting.

I, Betty McGuire, insist upon leaving my horse to Marylou James.

I, Ellen Ackerman, will the ability to identify my twin to Dick Wright and Don Curtis.

I, Rudy Stites, will my changing interest in girl friends to Joe Whalen.

I, Ruth Parsons, will my ability to take blank snapshots to any future photographers of a senior annual.

I, Gene Ludwig, leave Betty McConnell to my brother, Jake, who will grace Armstrong with his presence next year.

This Last Will and Testament of the Class of 1944 was written, witnessed on the twenty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and forty-four.

--Marie Bruns





## CLASS PROPHECY

In the year of 1952, Professor Robert E. Keal and wife Jackie, and small daughter, Stareyes, left San Francisco for a cruise around the world. They were accompanied by the daughter's governess, Miss Leola Donaldson, who was formerly in charge of the No-Pin Diaper Company. While wandering around the deck, the absent-minded professor ran into Rudy Stites, scrubbing decks. It was later discovered that the captain was none other than Charles Lynn despite the protests of his land-loving wife, the former Miss Dorothy Staley.

Upon landing at the Hawaiian Islands, we were greeted by Maurice Rubin and his "Hula Gals," Betty McGuire, Avis Mabry, Madeline Martin, and Lois Knoll, who were entertaining the passengers as they came ashore. We then went to the Olaha Hotel where our bags were taken by the Bell Hop, who was blushing Pat Corbly. After a brief stay we embarked for Singapore. Upon our arrival there, we were welcomed by the Ambassador, Gene Brown. While dining at the Ambassador's Mansion we were surprised to see the Butler being Sir Donald Roisland and his wife the maid, the former Miss Oka Morris. After having tea, our entertainment consisted of the fortune teller, Glenadine Corbly, reading tea leaves and charming snakes.

We then made our departure and after traveling through many interesting countries we arrived in Paris by plane. While there we visited the Wine cellar of Jean Ludwig and had a very tipsy time. After a short stay we flew over Switzerland and through our field glasses we were able to see Bob Owens herding Kids directly below us in the Alps.

Our next stop was Madrid, Spain, where we found the Ackerman twins working on the latest dress styles. While visiting with them, we were informed that Berneice Frerichs was a bubble danc-



er in Madrid's leading nite-club. While enroute to England, the Professor's daughter was overcome by nose-bleed and the stewardess, none other than Collette Early came to her rescue. We then stopped at London, England, where we were greeted by Ruth Dukes, secretary to Anthony Eden, and news-reporters, Everett Heckerson and Allan Cribblez.

Then back to the good old U. S. A. by the "Paramount Steamer." While in New York we spent a night on Broadway and greatly enjoyed Elden Reynolds latest production starring, "Leonard Collins and Lillian Holt" in "The Basketball Follies of '52."

The following morning we left for our home in San Francisco intending to tour the states as we went. While stopping for lunch in Pittsburgh, we found our waitress was an old friend and schoolmate, Montez Nelson. It was also discovered that Ruth Parsons was a hose designer in the suburbs of Pittsburgh. We then hit Chicago where we were told that Margie Olson was the Superintendent of Chicago's leading Laundry System.

As we had not been back to dear old Armstrong for quite some time, it was decided to drop around to the big city. About 5 miles northwest of the city we found the former Miss Sally Welles on the Morris farm tending chickens and children. In town we found Miss Lorene Watson chit-chatting with her canary "Rusty" and her gold-fish Dimples. The conversation proved to be entertaining since it concerned the good 'ol days of A. T. H. S.

As we could find no other schoolmates in this vicinity we wended our way toward the West coast. Passing through Wyoming we found the former Miss Marie Bruns on a ranch listening to "Duffy's Tavern." Also we found Don Burnison as a bronco buster on the ranch. We then returned to our bungalow on the coast and decided our trip had been one we would look back on with many pleasant memories.

--Leola Donaldson  
--Robert Keal



## ACTIVITIES

1. Leola Donaldson(Gert)--March 11, 1927.  
"Life is one long giggle."  
Glee Club 1,2,3; Home Ec. Club 1,2; Jr. Play 3;  
Speech 1; Band 1,2; Pres. Student Council 4; Sr.  
Annual 4; Paper Staff 4.
2. Robert Keal(Bob)--October 18, 1926.  
"A woman is only a woman, but a good cigarette is  
to smoke."  
V. Pres. F.F.A. 4; Jr. Play 3; Band 2; F.F.A. 1,3,  
4; Sr. Annual.
3. Robert Owens(Bobby Lee)--June 29, 1926.  
"Love will conquer at last."  
V. Pres. of Jr. Class; Student Council 4; Jr. Play  
3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,  
3; Sr. Annual.
4. Rudy Stites(Doc)--June 3, 1926.  
"I love others, but myself better."  
Paxton High School 1,2; Glee Club 4; Basketball 4.
5. Maurice Rubin(Snuffy)--August 17, 1926.  
"My only books were women's books, and folly is  
all they've taught me."  
F.F.A. 1; Glee Club 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Base-  
ball 2,3,4; Jr. Play 3; Paper Staff 3; Student  
Council 3.
6. Dorothy Staley(Dot)--July 28, 1926.  
"A sweet attractive kind of grace; continual com-  
fort on her face."  
Home Ec. Club 1,2,3; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1.
7. Lois Knoll--October 20, 1926.  
"Her mind is like a sundial; it records only  
pleasantness."  
Home Ec. Club 2,3,4; Paper Staff 1,2,3,4; Sr. An-  
nual 4; Glee Club 2; Speech 1,2,3,4; Salutatorian;  
Honor Group 4.
8. Betty McGuire(Mickey)--July 22, 1927.  
"Of all the things you wear, your expression is  
the most important."  
Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Home Ec. Club 1,2; Band 1.



9. Leonard Collins(Cherry)--March 31, 1926.  
"Live Merrily and joyiously."  
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,4; Vice Pres. of Freshman Class.
10. Charles Lynn(C.C.)--July 28, 1926.  
"There is method in his madness."
11. Everett Heckerson--November 1, 1926.  
"It is not so important to be serious, as it is to serious about important things."  
Glee Club 1,2,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 1; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Sr. Annual.
12. Eugene Brown(Gene)--November 18, 1928.  
"It makes no difference if I burn my bridges behind me--since I never retreat."  
St. Laurence School, Penfield 1,2,4; Honor Group 4; Baseball 4; Sr. Annual.
13. Margie Olson--December 12, 1927.  
"Life offers nothing more precious than a real friend."  
Sec. and Treas. Soph. Class; V. Pres. Sr. Class; Home Ec. Club 1,3,4; Speech 1,2; Glee Club 2,3,4; Paper Staff 3; Asst. Ed. Sr. Annual.
14. Collette Early--January 19, 1927.  
"A very intelligent student with a quiet personality."  
St. Laurence School, Penfield 1,2,3; Sr. Annual.
15. Ruth Dukes(Blondie)--December 11, 1926.  
"She has a smile that reaches out and scatters sunshine all about."  
Home Ec. Club 1,2,3,4; Pres. Home Ec. Club 4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 1; Sr. Annual Editor; Student Council 3,4; Soph. Class Pres. Speech 1,2,3,4; Honor Group 4.
16. Lillian Holt--November 1, 1926.  
"Courage is but a word and yet of words the only sentinel of permanence."  
Home Ec. Club 1,2,4; Band 3,4; Paper Staff 4; Sr. Annual; Honor Group 4.

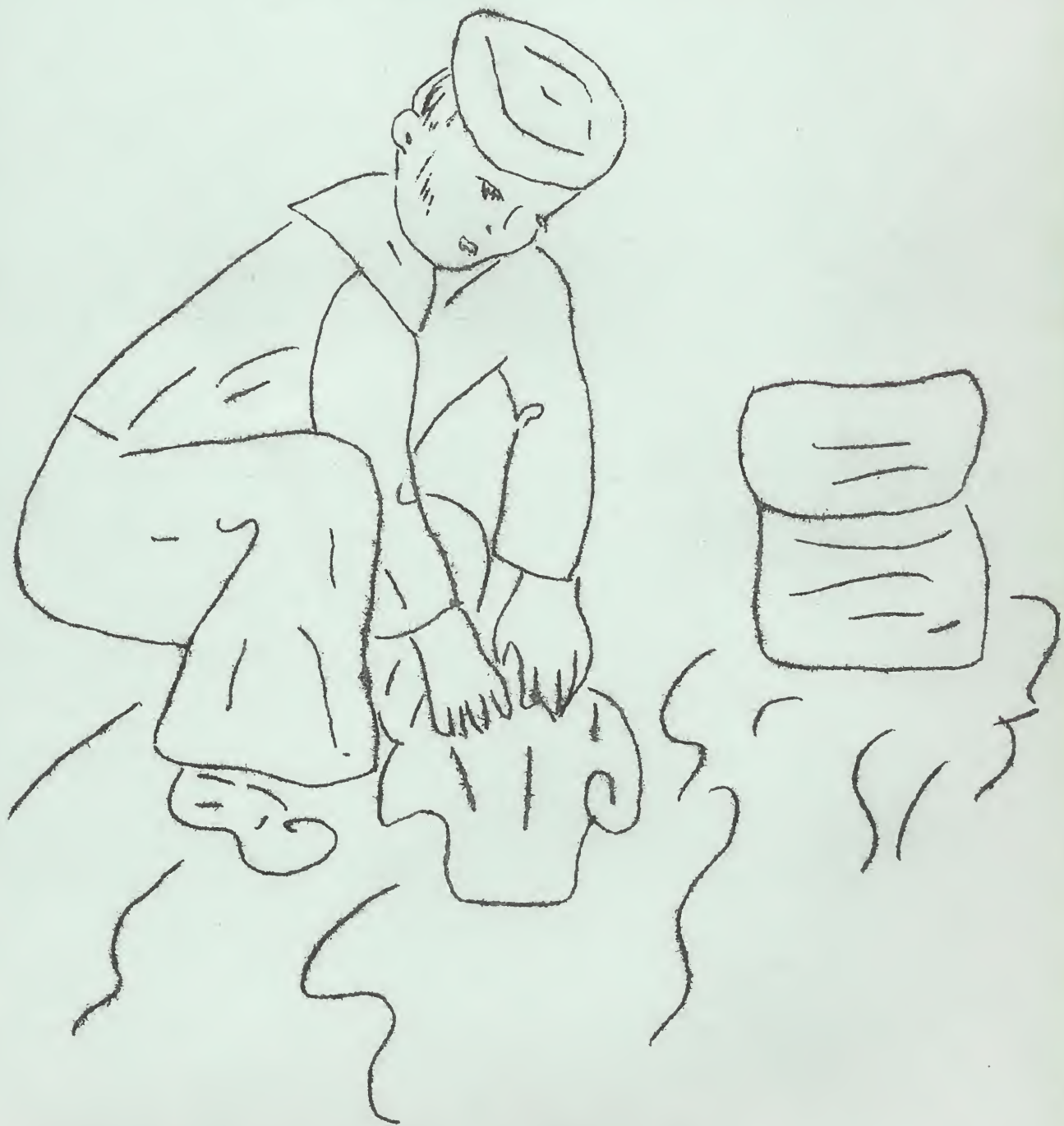


17. Gene Ludwig (Dimples)--January 27, 1926.  
"An eye for a maid, never too bold, never afraid."  
Glee Club 1; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Baseball 3,4.
18. Oka Morris--March 13, 1927.  
"Learning is one of her virtues."  
V. Pres. Soph. Class; Pres. Jr. Class; Sec. Sr. Class; Glee Club 1,4; Home Ec. Club 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 2,3,4, Editor 4; Sr. Annual; Honor Group 4; D.A.R. Award 4.
19. Berneice Frerichs--August 22, 1925.  
"She's little, thinks a lot, looks bashful, but she's not."  
Glee Club 2,3,4; Honor Group 4.
20. Anna Ackerman--January 19, 1926.  
"She's both gentle and full of life, she'll make Johnny a wonderful wife."  
Home Ec. Club 1; Glee Club 2,3.
21. Allan Cribblez--June 9, 1927.  
"Deeds not words."  
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Speech 1,2; paper Staff 13; Tres. of Sr. Class; Sr. Annual; Valedictorian. Honor Group 4.
22. Donald Roisland(Don)--October 18, 1926.  
"Youth is the most wonderful part of life."  
Baseball 4; Basketball 3,4; Paper Staff 2,3,4; Sr. Annual 4. Gibson City.
23. Lorene Watson(Sis)--March 6, 1926.  
"She lives every moment as if it were a crisis."  
Student Council 4; Speech 1; Home Ec. Club 1,2; Glee Club 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Sr. Annual.
24. Ruth Parsons (Swede)--June 29, 1926.  
"The secret of success is to be a success."  
Home Ec Club 1; Glee Club 2; Paper Staff 2,3; Sr. Annual; Honor Group 4.
25. Marie Bruns (Slats)--March 15, 1926.  
"A maid with a thousand laughs, and giggles fill her days."  
Rankin High 1,2; Glee Club 2,3,4; Home Ec. Club; Jr. play; paper staff 3,4; Band 3,4, Sr. Annual.



26. Kenneth Corbly(Pat)--July 4, 1926.  
"There is not age--for youth is the divine."  
Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4.
27. Glenadine Corbly--July 14, 1924.  
"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."  
Home Ec. Club 1; Glee Club 1,2.
28. Sally Welles(Sal)--May 1, 1925.  
"Give me vacations or give me death."  
Pres. Freshman Class; Student Council 2; Speech 1, 2,4; Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Sr. Annual; Band 2,4; Sec. of Jr. Class; Home Ec. Club 1,2,3,4.
29. Donald Burnison(Boone)--May 28, 1926.  
"Without doubt I can teach crowing, for I gobble."  
Potomac High 1,2; F.F.A. 3; Basketball 3,4; Baseball 3,4; Honor Group 4.
30. Elden Reynolds(Herby)--Aug. 27, 1926.  
"Better to wear out, than to rust out."  
Student Council 2; Honor Group 4.
31. Avis Mabry(Red)--November 26, 1928.  
"Lend me your silent rapture."  
Speech 1; Home Ec. Club 2; Sr. Annual.
32. Montez Nelson(Tez)--September 3, 1927.  
"Alas! To think that one so fair, would drive a man to sad despair."  
Glee Club 2,3; Home Ec. Club 1,2,3,4; Speech 1.
33. Ellen Ackerman--January 19, 1926.  
"A friendly heart with many friends."  
Home Ec. Club 1; Glee Club 2,3,4; Paper Staff 3,4.

# THE GOBS







## JUNIOR HISTORY

A small class of twenty-five Freshmen started to Armstrong High School in the fall of 1941. The officers elected by the class were: President, John Ellison; Vice President, Anita Fairchild; Secretary and Treasurer, Alice Duncan; Student Council Member, Gordon Edgington. A weiner roast was held at Potomac park in the fall for the class. With the help of the Sophomores, the Freshmen gave the Christmas party.

As Sophomores, the class had twenty members. They elected as officers the following: President, Doris Taylor; Vice President, Jackie French; Secretary, Anita Fairchild; Treasurer, Alice Duncan; Student Council Members, Dick Wright and Mickey Fleming. The Sophomores helped the Freshmen put on the annual Christmas party.

Twenty-two Juniors returned to Armstrong High in the fall of 1943. They elected the following class officers: President, Omer Creech; Vice President, Walter Hess; Secretary and Treasurer, Doris Taylor; Student Council Members, Jackie French, Pauline Watson, and Bob Miles. One of the projects of the Junior class was that of selling magazine subscriptions. A contest was staged with the class divided into two teams. Since they exceeded their goal of \$300 by \$45.25, they were taken to a movie by the publishing company. The Junior class ordered their rings in January and are receiving them in the spring. This year instead of the usual Junior play the class sponsored a Halloween Carnival, which was a brilliant success. The crowning feature of the year was the Junior-Senior Banquet held at Hotel Wolford in April.



### JUNIOR CLASS

First Row (left to right)-Advisor Mrs. Lindgren, J. French, B. Miles, M. Fleming, P. Watson, and Advisor Miss Hemp.  
Second Row(left to right)-R. Moffett, L. Bunting, J. Cessna, Q. Riggleman, D. Taylor, and A. Duncan.  
Third Row (left to right)-G. Millis, E. Larkin, W. Hess, G. Foster, W. Parrish, P. Knight, and L. Roberts.

### JUNIOR OFFICERS

Seated (left to right)-D. Taylor and O. Creech.  
Standing (left to right)-W. Hess and Advisor Miss Hemp.

### QUEEN AND ATTENDANTS

Seated (left to right)-O. Morris, Queen Helen Holt, and R. Dukes.  
Standing (left to right)-P. Meitzler, P. Watson, A. Duncan, L. Meitzler, and M. Welshire.







## JUNIOR CARNIVAL

On October 30, a large crowd assembled at Armstrong High for a gay and exciting evening. The occasion was the Halloween Carnival, sponsored by the Junior Class.

The carnival opened with a program given by the band and glee club in the assembly. After that everyone went to the gym to take part in the many games.

The attractions of the evening included; lunch stand, Bingo, guessing the number of grains of corn in a jar, trying to knock a quarter off a bottle that was placed on a barrel, and a fortune teller.

A great many tickets were sold in the fowl raffle. The fowls were: Donald, the domestic duck; Delmer, the mallard duck; Gertie, the goose; and Teresa, the turkey.

The Senior's contribution to the carnival was a comical one-act pantomime. It was given three times; each time to a packed house. The stunt was a great success and the seniors had fun giving it. The money taken in was to be used in helping put out the annual.

The final event of the evening was the crowning of the Carnival Queen, chosen by votes of the students and carnival crowd. Helen Holt was voted the Queen with the following attendants: Oka Morris, Ruth Dukes, Maxine Welshire, Lois Meitzler, Peggy Meitzler, Alice Duncan, and Pauline Watson.

The Queen sat in a beautifully decorated chair and was ceremoniously crowned by the Jr. Class President, Omer Creech, who also presented her with a lovely bouquet of chrysanthemums. Each of the attendants received a beautiful red rose.





## FRESHMAN HISTORY

In the fall of 1943 a class of 40 naive Freshmen entered Armstrong High for the first time. A few days after school started they elected the following class officers: President, Barabara Ellett; Vice President, Jim Chambliss; Secretary, Loyal D. Davis; Treasurer, Louis Morris; Student Council member, Marjorie Criblez; and Class Advisor, Mr. Garvin.

One beautiful moonlight night in September a weiner roast was held at Potomac Park in honor of the beginners.

Two days before Christmas the Freshmen and Sophomores gave a hilarious Christmas party, enlivened by a piece of mistletoe hanging in the gym doorway. Instantly there was a mad rush to the door. Guess who won! The Freshmen Girls!

## SOPHOMORE HISTORY

On a hot September day in 1943, thirty-seven giggly Sophomores returned to the halls of Armstrong High. They elected the following class officers: President, John Bickers; Vice President, Alice Buck; Secretary, Bernadine Early; Treasurer, Byron Wise; Student Council Members, James Grider and Millie Collins; and Class Advisor, Mr. Searles.

The Sophomores had a grand time helping initiate the poor, little, innocent Freshmen.

The Sophomores helped the Freshmen put on the annual Christmas party, which was a howling success, and the Sophomores were close behind the Freshmen in the rush for the Mistletoe.



## SOPHOMORE CLASS

First Row(left to right)-Advisor Mr. Searles, M. James, F. Shaffer, M. Butts, N. Plotner, P. Meitzler, H. Holt, and F. Lipowsky.

Second Row(left to right)-B. Davis, C. Busboom, M. Buck, E. Olson, H. James, B. White, B. Wise, D. Curtis, and D. Creighton.

Third Row(left to right)-R. Rose, A. Buck, B. McConnell, B. Early, B. Burnison, R. Booher, M. Collins, L. Meitzler, and E. Barr.

Fourth Row(left to right)-G. Howell, M. James, R. Buck, E. Davis, R. Early, E. Knoll, J. Grider, J. Whalen, and J. Bickers.

## SOPHOMORE OFFICERS

Seated(left to right-Advisor Mr. Searles, B. Early, and J. Bickers.

Standing(left to right)-B. Wise and A. Buck.

## FRESHMAN OFFICERS

Seated(left to right)-B. Ellett, L. Davis, and Advisor Mr. Garvin.

Standing(left to right)-L. Morris and J. Chambliss.

## FRESHMAN CLASS

First Row(left to right)-Advisor Mr. Garvin, L. Reynolds, B. Parrish, J. Pierce, S. Miller, D. Meitzler, J. Chambliss, and S. Cundiff.

Second Row(left to right)-E. Parsons, L. Kitts, B. Ellett, B. Calvert, W. Knight, M. Welshire, D. Hanson, M. Criblez, and M. Ingalsbe.

Third Row (left to right)-B. Britton, D. Newman, V. Bunting, Carolyn Frerichs, J. Early, E. Bruns, J. Greene, Clarine Frerichs, and B. Hunley.

Fourth Row(left to right)-B. Chesnut, B. Cox, L. Davis, J. Buck, L. Morris, J. Cessna, C. Goff, J. Gilkison, J. Morris, and B. Mooney.

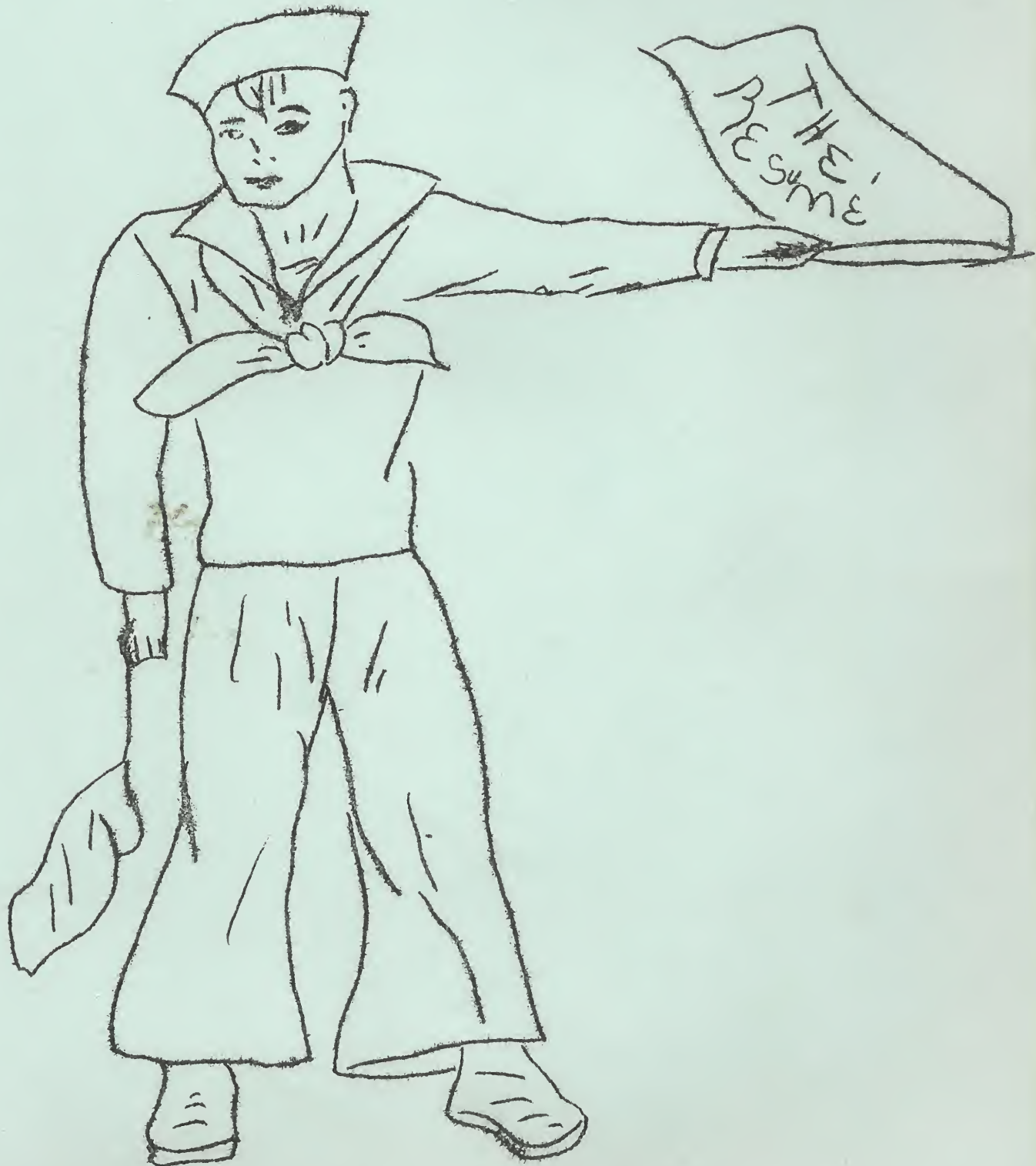








# ACTIVITIES







## HOLLYWOOD BOUND

Bob Kent, a young inventor, has perfected a new color process for the movies, which he calls "Vericolor." He is backed by Mr. Norton, the President of Quadrangle Pictures, who believes that he will be able to dominate the movie industry with Bob's new process.

Everyone is surprised when the big test for "Vericolor" is a flat failure. Bob knows this is due to sabotage on the part of someone who wants him to fail, but Norton is unimpressed. He withdraws his support and gives Bob a week to get out of the studios.

With the help of Windy Bryan, his song-writer pal, and Marcia, Mr. Norton's daughter, Bob goes ahead to film his own show, "Fanfare," which is to demonstrate the practicability of Vericolor.

One difficulty after another is thrown in his way, and it finally appears that there is nothing left to do but give up. However, some quick thinking suddenly turns the tables. The success of Vericolor is demonstrated to the satisfaction of everyone, including Mr. Norton. Chinese detectives, Wun Hop and Hi De Ho, disclose the identity of the malefactors, who have been working against Bob, and the curtain falls with the prospect of a wedding in the near future.



## CHARACTERS

Windy Bryan . . . . .	. Mickey Fleming
Mr. Norton . . . . .	. Edward Davis
Countess De Norka . . . . .	. Marie Bruns
Agatha Wigglesworth . . . . .	. Oka Morris
Eric Von Whoopanholler . . . . .	. Paul Knight
Wun Hop . . . . .	. John Bickers
Hi De Ho . . . . .	. Hardin James
Alys Adore . . . . .	. Lorene Watson
Marcia Norton . . . . .	. Ruth Dukes
Tim Molloy . . . . .	. John Pierce
Willie . . . . .	. Loyal D. Davis
Bob Kent . . . . .	. Omer Creech
Clyde Chalmers . . . . .	. Wendell Simpson
Annette . . . . .	. Sally Welles
Mr. Feitlebaum . . . . .	. Gene Howell
Mr. Warren . . . . .	. Walter Parrish
Isaac J. Relic . . . . .	. Quentin Rigglesman
Three Mannikins . . . . .	. Rosalind Moffett
	Lois Meitzler
	Jean Cessna
Phineas Tompkins . . . . .	. Robert Davis
Mr. Sneezeasy . . . . .	. John Cessna
Chorus of Extra Girls, Extra Men, Movie Stars, Chinese, Dancing Girls, Etc.	

## BAND

The band, with the addition of several new instruments has made notable progress this year. There were many complimentary remarks made about their performance on visitors night.

The new instruments and band members are as follows:

Alto-horn-----	Norma Plotner
Baritone-----	Evelyn Barr
Snare Drum-----	John Pierce
Cornet-----	Loyal D. Davis
Bells-----	Florence Shaffer
Bass Horn-----	Charles Goff
Drums-----	John Bickers

The band activities added color to several of the basket-ball games; provided entertainment for the Farm Bureau; and furnished the necessary music for Commencement.

## BATON

This is the first year there has been a baton class, and the response to the class has been excellent. The dozen girls, who attended the class, were under the capable direction of Pauline Watson and Betty Hunley.

During the year, they made several public appearances, climaxed by the demonstration of their skill at the program for visitors night.

## CHORUS

Chorus started off with a bang and 71 members in the fall. Among the many numbers they sang and rehearsed were Fred Waring's "Sky Anchors", "Stout-hearted Men" by Ramberg and two Negro Spirituals-- "Walk Together Children" and "Good News."

The highlight of the chorus was their presentation of the operetta "Hollywood Bound."



## MIXED CHORUS

First Row(left to right)-J. French, N. Plotner, P. Meitzler, Instructor Mrs. Lindgren, B. Calvert, M. Butts, M. Welshire, H. Holt, and M. James.  
Second Row(left to right)-M. Criblez, D. Creighton, J. Pierce, B. Davis, M. Fleming, H. James, J. Morris, D. Curtis, B. Parrish, M. Olson, M. Ingalsbe, F. Shaffer, and M. Martin.  
Third Row (left to right)-Clarine Frerichs, R. Dukes, Carolyn Frerichs, B. McConnell, E. Wires, W. Knight, A. Buck, J. Greene, J. Cessna, L. Watson, E. Barr, D. Newman, A. Duncan, and I. Owens.  
Fourth Row (left to right)-B. Frerichs, L. Meitzler, E. Ackerman, R. Bocher, S. Welles, M. Collins, M. Bruns, L. Donaldson, O. Morris, B. Burnison, R. Moffett, L. Bunting, and R. Rose.  
Fifth Row(left to right)-E. Heckerson, P. Knight, L. Davis, G. Howell, W. Hess, E. Davis, M. Rubin, R. Stites, Q. Riggleman, J. Cessna, C. Goff, W. Parrish, and J. Bickers.

## BATON TWIRLERS

First Row (left to right)-Instructor B. Hunley, H. Holt, J. French, D. Hanson, and Instructor P. Watson.  
Second Row (left to right)-M. Welshire, P. Meitzler, W. Knight, M. Collings, B. Burnison, A. Duncan, B. Calvert, and B. Ellett.

## BAND

Seated(left to right)-G. Howell, E. Barr, R. Dukes, N. Plotner, M. Criblez, M. Bruns, and E. Wires.  
Standing Second Row (left to right)-Leader Mrs. Lindgren, F. Shaffer, M. James, H. James, C. Goff, W. Hess, P. Watson, S. Welles, L. Watson, J. Pierce, L. Donaldson, J. Bickers, and L. Holt.  
Third Row(left to right)-D. Creighton, A. Criblez, L. Davis, E. Heckerson, E. Davis, W. Knight, R. Bocher, A. Duncan, M. Martin and H. Holt.









HOME EC. CLUB  
The Mixers and Rippers

Club Officers:

President. . . . . Ruth Dukes  
Vice President . Margie Olson  
Secretary. . . . . Sally Welles  
Treasurer. . . . . Helen Holt  
Program  
Chairman . . . . .Norma Plotner

The Mixers and Rippers is an organization for girls who are interested in Home Economics. They have regular business and social meetings once a month. The club operates on the point system. The girls get so many points for selling chocolate milk and serving on committees. The two members with the most points go to State Club Camp. The club makes their money by selling chocolate milk at school and pop at games.

They have had a few pot-luck suppers before home games. They have sponsored "Mixers" in the gym where they danced, played games, or visited. They sold hot dogs at the Mixer.

The club is planning to buy punch cups to match the punch bowl as a gift to the Home Economics Department.



### HOME EC. CLUB

Seated (left to right)-Advisor Miss Hemp, N. Plotner, S. Welles, President R. Dukes, V. President M. Olson, H. Holt, M. James, L. Holt.

Second Row(left to right)-L. Kitts, M. Nelson, M. Butts, J. Cessna, L. Knoll, E. Barr, M. Criblez, E. Parsons.

Third Row (left to right)-D. Newman, R. Rose, J. Early, O. Morris, B. Burnison, M. Collins, W. Knight, L. Bunting.

### HONOR GROUP

Seated (left to right)-L. Holt, D. Burnison, B. Frerichs, O. Morris, and L. Knoll.

Standing (left to right)-R. Parsons, G. Brown, R. Dukes, and A. Criblez.

### F. F. A. CLUB

First Row(left to right)-F. Lipowsky, E. Davis, B. Keal, B. Miles, P. Knight, E. Heckerson, and Advisor Mr. Garvin.

Second Row (left to right)-B. Parrish, B. Mooney, M. Fleming, G. Ludwig, J. Morris, S. Miller, and B. White.

Third Row(left to right)-G. Millis, J. Bickers, L. Davis, E. Knoll, G. Howell, E. Larkin, C. Goff, and A. Criblez.

Fourth Row (left to right)-J. Buck, M. James, W. Hess, R. Early, R. Buck, Q. Riggleman, J. Whalen, and L. Roberts.









## F. F. A.

This year the Armstrong Chapter of the F. F. A. is comprised of thirty members. The officers of the organization as elected were:

Bob Miles---President  
Bob Keal---Vice-President  
Edward Davis---Secretary  
Everett Heckerson---Treasurer  
Philip Brown---Reporter  
Paul Knight---Watchdog

The members of the F. F. A. Club have made several interesting field excursions during the school year. In October the boys made a trip to Griffeth Johnson's to see how hemp is harvested. In November the local Chapter attended the Leadership Training Course at Oakwood Township High School. Another interesting demonstration the boys attended was the laying out of Contour lines on Holly Ludwig's farm. They expect to again visit his farm when the land is plowed on the Contour.

Monthly night meetings were held in the Ag room throughout the year. The F. F. A. sponsored a Victory Scrap drive which netted them over seventy dollars which was put in the club funds. A Queen was selected for the event and a significant title given her. The F. F. A. also sold garden seeds to provide club funds.

The F. F. A. Club members enjoyed a swimming meet at Danville YMCA the week of February 6-12.



## STUDENT COUNCIL

The first week of school each class met and elected the members of the Student Council. The four seniors elected were: Gerald Alexander, Lorene Watson, Ruth Dukes, and Leola Donaldson. Junior members: Bob Miles, Jacqueline French, and Pauline Watson. Sophomore members: James Grider and Millie Collins. Freshman member: Marjorie Cribblez.

At the initial meeting of the Student Council the officers elected were: Leola Donaldson, President, and Ruth Dukes, Secretary-Treasurer.

At the beginning of the second semester, Bob Owens was elected a member of the Student Council to fill in the vacancy created when Gerald Alexander left A.T.H.S.

The Student Council sponsored the Third War Bond Drive at A.T.H.S. The goal was set at \$5,000, but they went over the top by more than \$3,500. To make the drive more interesting, the school was divided into teams. The Freshmen and Sophomores were called the Army, and the Junior-Senior team was the Navy. The Army came out victorious in the race.

Other activities undertaken by the Student Council were the sale of Tuberculosis stamps and collecting used clothing for the children of the orphanages of Champaign and Danville. The Student Council also participated in the Fourth War Bond Drive. In this drive the Student Council canvassed part of the township as well as A.T.H.S. The goal in this drive was also set at \$5,000. The total sale was \$9,668.75.

## HONOR GROUP

This year ten seniors were named to the Honor Group. In order to be in the Honor Group the students must have maintained at least a 3.75 average over four years. Those of the graduating class of "44" who have maintained such an average are as follows: Allan Cribblez, Ruth Parsons, Lillian Holt, Lois Knoll, Oka Morris, Donald Burnison, Eugene Brown, Ruth Dukes, Berneice Frerichs, and Elden Reynolds.

Allan Cribblez was valedictorian and Lois Knoll, Salutorian, of the graduating class of "44".

## SPEECH

About twenty-five students responded to a call for speech work this semester. Mrs. Bishop, of Danville, again served as instructor of the class.

The speech class met twice each week for half-day class sessions. The fundamentals of speech were stressed at the first meeting of each week. At the second meeting Mrs. Bishop coached each individual student with their readings.

A contest was held at the High School on March 16, to determine which entrants would go to the Sectional Contest held March 25.

The winners at the local contest were: Serious, Ruth Dukes--Dodsworth by Sinclair Lewis; Oration, Johnny Bickers--"The Value of Freedom" by B. Peckleder; Humorous, Jim Chambliss--"The Human Nose" by Saroyn.

In the Sectional contest, held at Georgetown, Armstrong contestants placed second in serious and humorous divisions.



### NEWSPAPER STAFF

Seated(left to right)-E. Heckerson, L. Knoll, O. Morris, D. Roisland, and Advisor Miss Gouty.

Standing in First Row(left to right)-J. Chambliss, J. Pierce, L. Holt, M. James, H. Holt, B. Hunley, A. Criblez, M. Criblez, and M. Olson.

Second Row Standing (left to right)-A. Buck, A. Duncan, N. Plotner, E. Ackerman, B. Early, L. Donaldson, M. Bruns, and G. Howell.

### STUDENT COUNCIL

Seated (left to right)-R. Dukes, J. Grider, L. Donaldson, B. Miles, and Mr. Laurence.

Standing (left to right)-L. Watson, P. Watson, B. Owens, M. Collins. J. French, and M. Criblez.

### ANNUAL STAFF

Seated(left to right)-M. Bruns, M. Olson, R. Dukes, O. Morris, and B. Owens.

Standing (left to right)-Advisor, Miss Parker, G. Brown, E. Ackerman, S. Welles, L. Donaldson, R. Parsons, A. Mabry, E. Heckerson, L. Knoll, D. Roisland, M. Nelson, L. Holt, C. Early, B. Keal, L. Watson, and A. Criblez.









# CALISTHENICS







## SENIOR ATHLETES

When graduation arrives, Coach Moffett is going to lose many of the athletes.

Bob Owens, Armstrong's Moundman, and also no slouch on the first five, will join the throng of gowned seniors.

Maurice Rubin also is among the departing. He has done a swell job on the baseball field, as well as the basketball floor, and we all hope he does as well in the Air Cadets.

Kenneth "Pat" Corbly has been out there working this year, in both baseball and basketball.

Leonard Collins also leaves old Armstrong this year. This makes his third year of basketball, and if I can remember rightly, he can play good baseball, too!

Don Roisland has been out there playing some swell games too. Although he was on the squad last year, he made his best showing this year, playing in most of the first team games.

Although Gabby has discontinued his schooling here, I'm sure all of us appreciate his swell work behind the plate, and on the basketball floor.

Don Burnison, also carries away a basketball-baseball letter. Nice work, in both capacities, "Boone"!

And don't forget Gene Ludwig. He did a swell job in Center field the last two years. If they just had cheerleaders at baseball games, eh, "Dimples"?

Although a new student this year, Gene Brown was right out on the baseball diamond. He did a good job, too.



### BASEBALL

Seated (left to right)-Coach K. Moffett, K. Corbly, M. Rubin, D. Burnison, B. Owens, G. Brown, and Manager J. Bickers. Second Row (left to right)-B. Davis, J. Grider, D. Roisland, G. Ludwig, B. Cox, and B. Wise.

### CHEERLEADERS

Left to right-Jackie French, Betty McConnell, and Peggy Meitzler.

### BASKETBALL

First Row (left to right)-M. Rubin, L. Collins, D. Roisland, B. Owens, and Coach K. Moffett. Second Row (left to right)-J. Bickers, B. Davis, H. James, K. Corbly, J. Grider, B. Cox, and B. Wise.









### BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Potomac	T	7-4	W
Henning	T	5-0	W
East Lynn	T	10-5	W
Alvin	T	9-4	L
Bismark	H	2-0	L
Rankin	T	4-1	L

### BATTING AVERAGES

Owens	.270
Alexander	.238
Burnison	.210
Brown	.180
Rubin	.170
Ludwig	.140
Cox	.125
Corbly	.051
Wise	.000
Davis	.000
Simpson	.000
Roiland	.000
Grider	.000



# BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 43-44

Nov.	12	E. Lynn	H	36-27	W
	16	Potomac	T	40-29	L
	19	Rankin	H	26-21	L
	23	Rossville	H	32-15	W
Dec.	3	Georgetown	T	34-13	L
	9-10	Potomac Tourney		2nd. place	
	14	Oakwood	H	25-23	L
Jan.	4	Westville	H	43-42	L
	14	Oakwood	T	43-41	W
	17-22	County Tourney		2nd. place	
	28	Potomac	H	41-33	L
Feb.	1	East Lynn	T	33-31	W
	4	Henning	T	35-33	W
	18	Rankin	H	33-25	L
	25	Bismark	T	55-36	L

### HIGHLIGHTS OF THE SEASON

In our second game of the season, Potomac gave us a sound walloping on their own floor. Despite the stiff defense put up by the boys, the final score was 40-29.

The boys came back from the Potomac tourney bearing the second place trophy, after scrapping with Henning in the finals.

Henning again! Tuesday, January 28. We met Henning in our second game of the county. After a good battle, leading into an overtime, we came out on top 44-42.

In the semi-finals we met Indianola. The boys came out from behind at the half and trounced the boys from the south end. However, the tables were turned, as Westville did a good job of out-scoring our boys the following night.

But all in all, "Kenny" and the boys did a good job, coming home with a second place trophy--nice going, Fellas!





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Mr. Corbly--How many times must I tell you to stop saying,  
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Mr. Searles--There are five children. The mother has only  
four potatoes, which she wishes to share equally among them.  
How would she do it?  
Billy White--Mash the potatoes.

\* \* \* \*

"Riches," said Mr. Laurence, "take unto themselves wings and  
fly away. Now, what kind of riches does the writer mean?"  
He stared around the class, but only blank faces met his  
gaze.  
"Surely, someone can answer a question like that. You, Jim  
Grider," said Mr. Laurence, "what kind of riches did the  
writer mean?"  
Jim hesitated for a moment; then, "Ostriches, sir," he re-  
plied.

\* \* \* \*

Leola--Jackie, tell me the meaning of this symbol LXXX.  
Jackie--Love and Kisses.

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The Bridegroom who was in a horrible nervous condition, appealed to the clergyman in a loud whisper, at the close of the ceremony.

"Is it kisstomary to cuss the bride?"

The clergyman might have replied, "Not yet but soon."

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Gene Ludwig, discussing his girl-friend, Betty, remarked, "She has an even temper--she's always mad."

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A statesman thinks he belongs to the nation, but a politician thinks the nation belongs to him.

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Miss Parker: "What is a propagandist, John?"

John Bickers: "A person with a sense of rumor."

\* \* \* \*

Gordon Millis: "Going in that house over there?"

Gene Ludwig: "I tried that house last week. I ain't going there anymore."

Gordon: "Fraid on account of the dog?"

Gene: "Me trousers are."

Gordon: "Trousers are what?"

Gene: "Frayed on account of the dog."

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Lorene Watson: "The cheek of that conductor! He glared at me as if I hadn't paid my fare."

Doris Taylor: "And what did you do?"

Lorene: "I just glared back at him, as if I had."

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Mike Buck: "I can't go  
to school today, Mo-  
ther. I don't feel we-  
ll."

Mother: "Where is it  
that you don't feel so  
well?"

Mike: "In school."

\* \* \* \* \*

Miss Watkins turned a-  
way from the black-  
board where she had  
been writing.

"Read out that sentence  
Maurice," she said.

"He was bent on seeing  
his old school", read  
Maurice.

"Now, children", con-  
tinued Miss Watkins,

"I want you to para-  
phrase that sentence."

Chewing his pen, Rudy  
regarded the board.

Then his face lit up.

Busily he wrote, "The  
sight of the old school  
doubled him up."

\* \* \* \* \*

Mr. Searles: "If I  
have talked too long,  
it's because I have no  
watch with me, and  
there's no clock in  
this room."

J. Morris: "There's  
a calendar right behind  
you, professor."

\* \* \* \* \*

What they might have  
said:

David: "The bigger  
they are, the harder  
they fall."

Nero: "Keep the home  
fires burning."

Noah: "It floats!"

Samson: "I'm strong  
for you, kid."

Helen of Troy: "So  
this is Paris."



1. M. James, J. Bickers, L. Holt
2. R. Parsons, W. Knight  
A. Mabry, B. McGuire
3. Pals!
4. J. French, R. Dukes  
M. Bruns, W. Shores
5. Taking it easy!
6. S. Welles, L. Donaldson,  
O. Morris
7. M. James, H. Holt  
I. Owens, N. Plotner
8. Romeo
9. Neighbors
10. " in his arms "
11. Sisterly love
12. Gene Howell
13. Wanna ride?
14. Happy, Rosie?
15. A. Mabry, R. Parsons  
L. Watson
16. Queen Helen Holt
17. Dorothy Staley
18. The Three Musketeers
19. We're In The Army Now
20. An Old Gang
21. E. Davis, G. Brown
22. Want a bite?
23. F. Shaffer, L. Holt
24. Walter Hess
25. Miss Gouty
26. Well--Well!
27. Proud Baby Bob
28. Ruby Booher
29. Old Flames??
30. Bob Cox
31. Bashful and Bold
32. Paul Knight
33. The best view??
34. Nursemaid!
35. Toots!
36. Dick Wright
37. You guess!!!
38. Man Shortage??
39. Miss Watkins
40. Sisters!
41. Marjorie Cribblez
42. Delores Newman
43. Anna Ackerman
44. Donna Hanson
45. Joan Early
46. Norma Plotner
47. Betty Calvert





me holding Barbara E.





Edith Parsons: "What is matter?  
Glen Reynolds: "Never mind."  
Edith: "What is mind?"  
Glen: "No matter."

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Did you hear about the little moron who puts bugs on the bus so that everyone could have a buggy ride?

\* \* \* \*

Pat Corbly was a simple country yokel who had never strayed from the outskirts of his native village, and because he stood in a railway station for the first time of his life, his amazement was great. The vastness of his surroundings completely dazzled him, but when the 3:30 express dashed through the station, that did it. He kept his eyes glued on the tunnel through which it disappeared, staring after as though some kind of miracle had happened. He remained like this for some time until finally an inquisitive porter asked him what he was staring at. "I was just thinkin," he said, pulling himself together, "What a terrible smash there'd 'a' bin if it'd 'a' missed the 'ole."

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Some wasps built their nests during the week in Rev. Pruett's best breeches. On the Sabbath as he warmed up to his preaching, the wasps, too, warmed up, with the result that presently the minister was leaping about like a jack in the box and slapping his lower anatomy with great vigor, to the amazement of the congregation.

"Be calm, brethren," he shouted, "The word of God is in my mouth, but the Devil's in my breeches."

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Bob Miles: "Ruth Parsons is the most remarkable person I've every met."  
Walter Hess: "In what way?"  
Bob: "She can keep silent in four different languages."

\* \* \* \*

Mr. Laurence: "Dick, I wish you wouldn't whistle at your work."  
Dick Wright, "I wasn't working, Sir, I was only whistling."

\* \* \* \*

Miss Watkins asked Lois Meitzler if she was going to the Maypole dance.  
"No, I ain't goin," was the reply.  
Miss Watkins corrected the child: "You must not say, 'I ain't goin' you must say, 'I, am not goin'", and she added to impress the point: "I am not going, he is not going, we are not going, he is not going, we are not going, you are not going, they are not going. Now, dear, can you say all that?"  
Lois nodded and smiled brightly. "Sure!" she replied, "There ain't nobody going."

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Bob Chesnut, after profound thought, wrote this definition of the word "spine," at his teacher's request: "A spine is a long, limber bone. Your head sets on one end and you set on the other."

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Miss Parker: "In which of his battles was King Gustavous Adolphus of Sweden slain?"  
Ruth Parsons: "I'm pretty sure it was the last one."

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Bob Cox: "Shut that door! Were you born in a barn?"  
 Sailor Rudy Stites: "Blub, blub."  
 Bob: "I didn't mean to make you cry."  
 Rudy: "I'm not crying because you yelled at me, I'm crying because I was brought up in a barn and everytime that I see a jackass it makes me homesick."

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Maurice Rubin: "If that's coffee it sure doesn't smell right."

Waitress Ella Bruns: "Take it easy, Bud, it had a tough grind today."

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The new army jeeps have four speeds: first, second, third, and you'll be sorry.

\* \* \* \* \*

From birth to 18 a girl needs good parents; from 18 to 35, she needs good looks; from 35 to 55 a woman needs personality, and from 55 on, the old lady needs cash!

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Allan Cribblez: "How did your victory garden turn out last year?"

C.C. Lynn: "My potatoe crop turned out well. Some were as big as marbles, some as big as peas and of course quite a few small ones. How did yours do?"

Allan: "Oh, mine was a little jewel--14 carrots."

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Mickey Fleming: "Mother, you know that 35 piece china set you have?"

Mrs. Fleming: "Yes. Why?"

Mickey: "Well, its 36 piece now."

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Said the artist: "I'll give you five dollars if you'll let me paint you." The mountaineer shifted his tobacco from one cheek to the other and back again.

"Thar hain't no question 'bout thet," the mountaineer replied. "I was jes' a-wonderin' how I'd git the paint off afterwards!"

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Where is my wandering boy tonight,  
I wonder, near or far?"  
An anxious parent asks;  
and adds: "And also,  
where's the car?"

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Miss Parker--Why should we respect the early settlers?  
Don Roisland--They pay their bills on the first of the  
month.

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Mrs. Laurence, excitedly--This paper carries a report of  
your death!  
Absent Minded Mr. Laurence--We must remember to send a  
wreath.

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Everett Heckerson--I wonder how old Miss Watkins is."  
Gene Brown--Quite old, I imagine. They say she used to  
teach Caesar.

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Mr. Garvin--What's a peninsula?  
B. Miles--It's a rubber-neck running out to sea.  
Mr. G.--No, it's a neck running out to sea.  
Bob--Well, That's a rubber-neck, isn't it?

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Miss Gouty rapped the desk and shouted, "Order!"  
The entire class yelled, "Beer!"

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Oka Morris: "Ah! Are you really a mind reader?"

Bob Owens: "Yes, I am."

Oka: "Then I hope you aren't offended. I didn't mean what I thought about you."

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Professor Searles, who was famous for the wool-gathering of his wit, returned home, and had his ring answered by the maid. The new girl looked at him inquiringly. "Un-ah, is Professor Searles at home?" he asked, naming himself. "No, sir," the maid replies, "but he is expected at any moment now."

Professor Searles turned away, the girl closed the door. Then the poor man sat down on the steps to wait for himself.

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Teacher touring Europe on leave--Dear class: Visited the rock from which the Spartans used to throw their defective children. Wish you were all here. Best wishes, Miss Parker.

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Miss Watkins--What did Caesar exclaim when Brutus stabbed him?

Byron Wise--Ouch!

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Anxious Mother--And is my boy really trying?

Miss Gouty--Very!

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Found on B. Parrish's registration card: name of parents: Mamma and Papa."

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One recalls the story of the professor and the guide in a canoe on the lake. "Have you studied Latin or Greek?" asked the professor. "No", replied the guide. "Well", said the professor, "you have lost a quarter of your life. Have you read history or poetry?" "No", said the guide. "Well, you have lost another quarter of life", said the professor. Just then the canoe upset and the guide shouted, "Can you swim?" to which the professor burred "No". "Well", said the guide, "you've just lost all of your life."

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Miss Gouty--Where can we find mangoes?

Maurice R.--Wherever woman goes.

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